AS A SMALL MARKET BROADCASTER IN RURAL AMERICA, IT IS MY BELIEF THAT THE FCC SHOULD ALLOW AM OPERATORS TO OWN FM TRANSLATORS AND USE THEM TO FILL-IN OR ENHANCE LOCAL AM SERVICE TO LOCAL COMMUNITIES. IT'S ALL ABOUT LOCAL RADIO STATIONS BEING LOCAL, LOCAL, LOCAL, AND THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF YOU ALLOW AM OPERATORS TO OWN AND OPERATE FM TRANSLATORS. BEING LOCAL IS THE ONLY WAY A LOT OF THESE AM RADIO STATIONS CAN AND WILL EXIST.

RESPECTFULLY,

BOBBY CALDWELL

OWNER/CEO

EAST ARKANSAS BROADCASTERS